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RCE AMENDMENT AFTER A FINAL OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

In further response to the Final Office Action dated May 2, 2008 (the two-month response date for which is at least December 29, 2008 (since a Notice of Appeal was filed on October 27, 2008 and since December 27, 2008 is a Saturday) (*this RCE Amendment is being filed in lieu of the Appeal Brief, which is due on December 29, 2008*), please reconsider the above-identified application based on the following.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.